WILL ALLOW ITALY AND JUGO-SLAVS TO FINISH NEGOTIATIONS

SUPREME COUNCIL HAS FRANCO-BRITISH DECLARATION IN RE-GARD TO GERMANY--NITTI OPPOSES MILITARY MEASURES.

San Remo, April 26-(By the A. P.)—The council of premier 100 SOLDIERS Nitti of Italy and Foreign Minister Trumbitch of Jugo Slavia, will allow the Adriatic question to remain in negotiation between the Italian and Jugo Slav To Take Preliminary Examgovernments, it was learned to-

Reports that the Adriatic question including the disposition of Flume would be settled by the San Remo council in accordance with President Wilson's program, appeared from San Remo advices last night to be at least Wilson's program, appeared from San Remo advices last night to be at least premature. It was stated that the settlement proposed by Premier Nitti, although following generally the lines of President Wilson's note of December 9, varied from it by including a constitution for the buffer state of Prime, to which both the French and British premiers objected, considering the state of the Naturalization of the Naturaliz acter of the new state. Both the French and the British delegations, it

Franco-British declaration regard to any word until Congress takes some Germany after inserting a clause declaring its readiness to take all measures, even the occupation of additional German territory if necessary, to assure the carrying out of the treaty of Versailles.

The adoption of this clause gave rise to some discussion, Premier Nittl of Italy opposing military measures Premiers Millerand and Lloye George, however, showed the Italian prime minister the necessity of conand Baron Matsui, the Japanese am-bassalor to France joined them in

SEEK PAPERS

ination For Citizenship.

Over 100 former United States soltiers who have applied for citizenship papers were present at the county court house today to take preliminary

that it limited too largely the char-there are over 900 petitions on the Both the docket for the May term. Of these egations, it about 590 are enemy aliens, coming was said, informed Premier Nittl that from Germany, Austria-Hungary or Italy should either accept President some province in enemy territory. Wilson's plan or abide by the pact of Clerk Munich has not yet received London, which gave Flume to the notice from the Department of State The supreme council adopted the and does not expect he will receive

TROOPS LEAVE RUHR DISTRICT

Paris, April 26-Dr. Goeppert, head of the German delegation in Paris, today handed the Foreign Ofsidering such an eventuality, and Paris, today handed the Foreign Offoreing Minister Hymans of Belgium, fice a note addressed to Premier Millerand, stating that the additional troops which had entered the Ruhr this point of view, which was adopt- district had all evacuated that dis-

REFUSE TO HEAR PLEA OF KANSAS CITY MEN

START MOVE FOR **44 HOUR WEEK**

Boston, April 26 .-- Delegates from New England mills who attended a conference of the Amalgamated Textile Workers of America here, returned to their local unions today with authority to initiate a movement for a 14 hour work week, a 50 per cent increase in pay and recognition of the country asking a speedy settle-organisation. The conference voted much of the whole railway wage distinct the board appropried that it was to support morally and financially any otion taken by the local units to gain these objects, it was announced.

The textile centers represented by action delegates and in which authorized, include Providence and Massachusetts and New

OUT OF MASS, PRIMARIES.

Springfield, Mass., April 26-In a statement given out here today at the request of Angus McSween, man- Labor is only a ager of Johnson eastern headquarters in New York, announcement is made clared that the labor bill on shoes that Senator Johnson will not enter which now sell for \$17 or \$18 a pair the primary contest in Massachusetts, is only 88 cents.

Washington, April 26 .-- The railroad abor board today refused to hear the wage demands of the Kansas City Yardmen's Association on the ground that the application did not conform to the provisions of the law. Hear-ngs on the demands of the Chicago, St. Louis and Cleveland Yardmen's Association and the strikers in the metropolitan district of New York previously had been refused by the board. Applications from Pittsburgh, board. Applications from Pittsburgh, Philadelphia and Columbus are yet to

be noted upon.
Replying to teelgrams from Champute, the board announced that it was proceeding with all diligence to make an early adjustment.

hearings on the wage demands of the in Washington on April 27. brotherhoods. Timothy Shea vice Thomas B. Brittain, son of the dead president of the Brotherhood of Loing the cost of living unless the excuse was seized upon by profiteers to

Labor is only a small item in the cost of production, Shea said. He de-

700 Thefts Cleared Up By One Capture

Chicago, April 26—Seven hundred robberies, whose loot is believed to total more than \$500,000, were cleared today when police examined the effects of Harry J. James, "silk mask after shooting up the town hall police station, wounding two patrolmen,

In James' private warehouse, were truckloads of rare art works, oriental

loot sold with the price obtained and lant and meritous services." After the civil war General Seward entered of goods each preferred to buy.

When James was killed he was discted the banking house of W. H. found to be wearing a sult belonging Seward and Company ever since. He The suit was one of porations, including the American

GAME WARDENS PROFIT

40 stolen from a tallor shop.

Auburn, N. Y., April 26,---General rugs, typewriters, adding machines, William H. Seward, son of Secretary board of directors, and dozens of other articles were Seward, died today after a long IIIfound, police uncovered a card index ness, aged Sl. With his brother, the in which the 700 robberies were listed, with the loot obtained.

Another section of the card file coln interest war and knew Lincoln interests.

Another section of the card file listed "prospects" and the wealth of data about each indicated that James had used an art inspector's card, found in his pocket, to gain entry to the houses.

A third file listed "gold coast" automobiles with description. license number, owner's name and "fair," "good" or "swell" to indicate the valuation.

Another section of the card file riod of the civil war and knew Lincoln intimately.

General Seward led the 128th New York volunteers, which later became the ninth heavy artillery. In the battle of The Monocacy his horse was shot under him and he was wounded, being commended by General Lew Wallace as "having acted with rare gallantry." He was later commissioned Brigadier General by Secretary Stanton, who wrote the commission Police also found ledgers listing in his own hand, awarding it "for galto former United States Senator Will- was a director in many large cor-

> Express Company. DIVORCE ACTION

Meriden, Conn., April 25—Seven Intolerable cruelty is alleged by Meriden men who went fishing at Gerald B. Booth of the city, who to-beaver lake yesterday did not get day started divorce proceedings in the even a bite but Game Wardens Foster Superior court against Jemima W. and Rewinkel, who arested them for Booth of parts unknown. The wife's angling in a lake in the closed senmatden name was Jemima Warren son, made a catch that netted them and she married Booth in February goodly fees this morning when each 1912. The suit which is brough sherman was fined \$15 by the police through Attorney W. F. D. Kilpatrick,

MEN FEAR BLACK

One of Driving Forces Steadily Breaking

New York, April 26—Fear of a black list which would bar them per-manently from employment appeared to be one of the driving forces today behind the steady breakup of the railway workers strike reported by rail-

Although no hint of such a plan has come from the managers, possibility of its adoption was discussed bility of its adoption was discussed freely by some strikers after they learned at a mass meeting last night that nine locals of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen in the New York-New Jersey district had lost their union charters by action of Brotherhood officials. Some of the traffice was first returning to normal and that the effects of the strike soon yould wholly disappear.

The predicted strike of engineer n the Lackawanna railroad falled o develop this morning, according to officials of the road, who stated that freight service improving hourly.

WORTH \$5,000

Alleging that the love of her chauffeur husband was alienated by his boss's wife, Florence Valentine of Norwalk is scheduled to appear before a jury in the Superior court on city of Mexico outside the capital. Wednesday morning, and testify in

happily as the wife of Frank J. Val-entine until he entered the employ of Mrs. Pollak a few years ago. She claims the wiles and blandishments of the defendant proved too much for Valentine to resist. The wife states that Valentine's affections were alienated and that she lost his lost his love and society. He later abandoned her, the plaintiff declares. The defendant denies the wife's charges and intends to fight the case

MENTAL STRAIN CAUSED SUICIDE

Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, April 26-(By The A. P.)—Rear Admiral Carlo B. Brittain, chief of staff to the commander in chief of the Atlantic fleet, who committed suicide by shooting last Thursday, was in poor health during most of the time the fleet was in southern waters. He was con-fined to his bed when the flagship of the fleet left New York on January 7, and until after its arrival in Cuba. Rear Admiral Brittain was an ambitious, brilliant officer and an indefatigible worker and it is believed his illness brought his mental strain to the breaking point

The board today continued its to the United States, is due to arrive Ensign comotive firemen, told the board that time of his father's death, is accomadditional pay for railroad workers panying the body to Washington.
would not have the effect of increaschief of staff, now is acting as chief

TO TAKE OVER

Atlantic City, N. J., April 26 - The board of directors of the United States Chamber of Commerce in con-States Chamber of Commerce in vention here today proposed the vention here today proposed the chamber assume supreme control of ster. Ireland, April 26—Three hundred americanization work in the United here early today and rifle and revolver here early today and rifle and revolver here early today and rifle and revolver. States, co-ordinating and directing the efforts of organizations now engaged in philanthropic and patriotic

To finance this undertaking it was proposed adequate collections of money be made and disbursed by a standing committee on ideals," under rules prescribed by the

SYRIAN BISHOP **VISITS AMERICA**

New York, April 26 - The Most ordinary apostolic visitor to the Maronite church of America.

Appointed by the pope at the re-quest of the Maronite patriarch of Antioch, Archbishop Khouri will visit Maronite churches in Philadelphia, Scranton, Wilkesbarre and Pitts-burgh, Pa.; Providence, R. I., and Torrington, Conn., and other cities.

LOCAL MEN AT CONVENTION. Bridgeport representatives to the eighth annual convention of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce at Atlantic City, will be F. J. Kingsbury, George S. Hawley, Guy P. Miller, William F. Severn, B. D. Pierce, Jr., and Seward B. Price. The convention is in session the first four days this week.

ATLANTIC FLEET SAILS MONDAY FOR NEW YORK

Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, April 25—(By The A. P.)—No ships or the Atlantic Fleet in Guantana-mo Bay have been ordered to Mexican waters. The fleet will sail at 9 o'clock, Monday morning for New York.

Admiral Robert E. Coontz, chief of naval operations, will make the voyage on board the flagship Pennsylvania, and it is expected that Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, will board the flag-ship in the vicinity of Chesapeake Bay, for the trip to New York, where the fleet is due to arrive at about 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning. It will remain in the North river until May 17 for the purpose of granting the shore liberty,

Mazatalan.

Washington, April 26-A battle bepassenger service was normal and that place is imminent, according to

The revolutionary forces General Angel Flores is rapidly approaching Mazatlan the advices says while the federal forces have withdrawn to within 46 miles of the city. Retreating the federal troops are said to have burned bridges and to have thrown up fortification apparently with the intention of making a stand.

Jose Sanchez, a federal deputy, is reported to have joined the revolution with 80 men at Buebla, the principal

her suit against Freda Pollak. The wife asks for \$5,000 damages. Mrs. Valentine alleges she was living

A good army record saved Samuel Aminiti, of 2017 Main street, from paying a substantial fine, when arraigned in the city court this morning on a charge of attempting to

day, and charges against him were tion, and requested that somebody nolled because of his good military get busy and hunt up the owner of record. Mrs. Didwell was not seri-

COUNCIL'S ACTS PLEASE BELGIUM

The hospital ship Solace, which is —Paul Hymans, the Belgian Foreign and gave the driver a hand in reload-bringing Rear Admiral Brittain's body to the United States, is due to arrive were "altogether satisfied with the damaged by its fall. results of the conference, which ends with a demonstration of the intimate and sincere unity of the allies."

"The impression in Europe, and particularly in Germany, will be con-siderable," he declared. "Germany will realize that her maneuver to di-vide the allies has turned against her and that she must not count on the allies' indulgence in execution of the

AMERICANIZATION 300 MEN ATTACK **POLICE BARRACKS**

the windows of the barracks were broken.

The five policemen who occupied large supply of bombs but did not movement was reported.

USE BLOODHOUNDS BOLSHEVIKS TO TO TRACE MAN

Pontiae, Mich., April 26 - Prose-

Miss Schnelder's body was found, Of- land. floers expressed the belief that the appeal to British labor.

The large new Barryton, Captain H. B. Palmer of the Moran Towing and Transportstion Line, arrived in the harbor this morning for water and supplies. No coal has arrived here for nearly a week on account of the strike of

AGAINST

Supreme Court Orders Coal Trust Dissolved.

Washington, April 26-Federal and anti-trust dissolution suits against the Lehigh Valley and Reading railroads and affiliated coal companies in the so-called anthracite coal trust cases were decided today by the supreme court in favor of the government.

By a 4 to 3 vote, with Justices Mc Reynolds and Brandels not participatng, the court ordered dissolution of

he Reading combine. Separate establishments Reading railroad, the Reading Coal Co., the Central Railroad of New Jersey and the latter's coal company and the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal

ompany was ordered by the court. The court sustained the government's charges that the railroads vio-Brotherhood officials. Some of the strikers predicted that the next act of the railroads which already deprived strikers of their senjority privileges will be an edict against reemployment of those still out. Officials of the lines continued today their optimistic statements of last week that

Mexican Federal Troops

Go Out From

The court sustained the government's charges that the railroads violate the "commodities clause." of the interstate commence act. The Reading and Central of New Jersey railroads, the court decided, must dispose of stock ownership, respectively, of the Philadelphia & Reading Cont. and Jeon Company and J Coal and Iron Company and the Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal Company.

> Redistribution of the stock onds of the Reading and Lehigh tween Mexican federal troops sent out. Valley railroad companies and also from the Pacific port of Mazzillan to of their respective coal companies meet the revolutionists marching on was ordered by the court, which sustained the government's contention advices received here today from that common stock ownership, offi-Mexico. 2 today from that common stock ownership, offi-cers and directors constitutes a restraint of trade under the Sherman

Chief Justice White and Justices Holmes and Van Devanter dissented. In deciding in the Supreme Court today the government's anti trust sur against the Lehigh Valley railroad and subsidiaries, the opinion was rendered by Justice Clark.

At the same time the court also decided the so-called "anthracite coar trust" case brought against the Read ing Co. and subsidiaries charged with restraining trade in violation of the Sherman law in the Schuylkill coal

SAVES DRIVER LOST PIANO AND **NEVER MISSED IT**

While patroling his beat along Railroad avenue about 10:30 o'clock this ing on a charge of attempting to avoid responsibility for an accident. Aminiti was the driver of the automobile which struck Mrs. Louise Didwell, of 787 Norman street, while bidwell, of 787 Norman street, while she was leading a blind man across the street at the corner of Middle and Congress streets Friday night. He stopped the car after striking the women, but proceeded on his way before his name and address was securited. Aminiti produced an honorable right piano. He telephoned the news of the first predicts at a street of the street. discharge from the army in court to- of his find to the Third precinct sta-

About 15 minutes later a large motor truck driven by a wildly excited man appeared under the viaduct. The driver inquired anxiously of the po-liceman whether he had seen any-thing of a plano which he, the driver had lost off his truck somewhere be tween Westport and the corner of hours but the walkout of telephone Fairfield avenue and Main street. The and telegraph employes will inter-officer set the man's mind at ease rupt communication. concerning the lost plane, and in a San Remo, April 26-By the A. P.) few moments more men

CHICAGO STRIKE IS DEADLOCKED HAD ONLY OIL

Chicago, April 26-Developments in the strike of insurgent railroad workers in the Chicago district today were confined to issuance of state-ments by the railroad managers and strikers. The managers said 1,892 men were at work yesterday and that freight traffic was 90 per cent, of normal. The strikers asserted the number of men the railroads said Clonroche, County Wexford, Leizster, Ireland, April 26—Three huntrial situation rapidly was growing
dred men attacked the police barracks
worse, with a number of plants facing shutdowns because of lack of coal
that because the railroads could not continue using high priced men as substitute switchmen, a compromise would be forced sooner or later. lan reported today in his finding in the building repulsed the raiders Elsewhere in the central and far west without casualties. The latter had a gradual return to normal freight

Lodon, April 26-Decision to give a Pontiac, Mich., April 26 — Prose-cuting Attorney Gillespie, investigat-ing the killing early Sunday of Miss been reached by the supreme allied Rev. Chekralla Khouri, Maroite Vera Schneider, telephone supervisor council, according to semi-official an-Archbishop of Tyre, Syria, said to be today questioned a man whose ap- nouncement at San Remo, says a dethe first Syrian archbishop of the Roman Catholic church to come to the United States, arrived here today on the steamer La Torraine as extra-Bloodhounds which were put on the ground he had taken advantage the case led officers only as far as the curbing in front of the house where in political propaganda while in English (and the constant of the house where in political propaganda while in English). On that occasion he issued an

OCEAN GOING TUG IN HARBOR, NO DECISION

court failed again today to hand down a decision on the constitutionality of the prohibition amendment and the tug boatmen in New York har-

WIN SUIT EXPECT IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS IN **CRUSADE TOMORROW**

CASES OF 27 PRISONERS TAKEN IN RAIDS OF APRIL 17 TO COME UP IN CITY COURT -"UNDISCLOSED" WITNESSES MAY BE PRODUCED.

importance in Bridgeport's vice crusade are expected tomorrow, when the cases of 27
prisoners who were taken in Mayor Chifford B. Wilson was in the the raids of April 17 will be City court again this morning, and heard in the City court. With remained throughout the entire se the arrest of Angelo Ballister, cases were stated for trial. No Burns in Shelton, the authorities be-

Now that the round-up has been "undisclosed" witnesses, and attempt "undisclosed" witnesses, and attempt to prove the charges which they have For this excellent piece of work made.

Among the 27 cases assigned for trials tomorrow are those of Joseph Villa, of 372 State street, charged with keeping a disorderly house; Marian Wilson, charged with frequenting a disorderly house; Frank quenting a disorderly house; Frank Pailista, charged with keeping a disorderly house. The captain's owders were rigidly en-

story tomorrow morning, and her evi-

sons who are now being held.
Of the 157 prisoners who were in court jast Monday morning as the filled by Captain John O'Connell. result of the Burns raid, only 37 are Feeling in favor of the return of yet to be heard. Nineteen of these Superintendent John H, Redgate con-are frequenters of gambling houses, tinues to make itself evident in police and the others are charged with be- circles. Although the policemen are ing keepers of establishments. Dur- reluctant to discuss the situation ing the past week 80 cases were noll-ed, and bonds were forfeited in 40 ion is that they feel Superintendent instances. Most of the cases dispos-ed of were those of persons who were without delay, or given a hearing and taken as frequenters of various re-sorts. Attorneys representing the principals in the various cases have against him,

New developments of utmost | not yet been given an opportunity to

sion despite the fact that no raid

ieve they have taken the last man who may be implicated in the alleged "vice trust" here.

Now that the round-up has been were friedly form than 100 women who were frightened out of New York a short time ago by the commencement of a clean-up in that city, landed in Bridgeport but that city, landed in Bridgeport but the commencement of a clean-up in that city, landed in Bridgeport but the commencement of a clean-up in that city, landed in Bridgeport but the commencement of a clean-up in that city, landed in Bridgeport but the commencement of a clean-up in the country to the commencement of a clean-up in the country to the commencement of the country to the co completed, it is expected that the Burns operatives will produce their "undisclosed" witnesses, and attempt that not one of these women remains

the police department gives credit to Captain Peter H. Hall, who was re-cently in command of the First pre-cinct. It is reported that Captain orderly house at 311 State street, and The captain's owders were rigidly enforced with the result that the women and Lafayette street, charged with keeping a disorderly house. The most important of these is the command them to clear out of town. The captain's owders were rigidly enforced with the result that the women made only a very short stay in Bridgeport. It was also reported to-day, that immediately after his approximation. The most important of these is the case of Marlan Wilson, the 17-year-old girl who is believed to be the star witness for the Burns men. It is reported that this woman will tell her wilson. Upon the orders of the police mommissioners, Captain Hall was transferred last week from the First to the Third precinct. His posi-tion at police headquarters has been

Paris Faces Complete Paralysis Of Business

Paris, April 25-This city faces and diate nationalization of the railways a large number of unions voting to join the labor demonstration by calling a general strike. Hotel, postoffice, telephones, local surface transportation of the general confederation of labor, which is not considered as anxious for a tion, gas and electrical workers, all the municipality with the exception of health officers, and a large number of less important branches of labor will prises little more than half of the control of the cont participate in the strike. Work in railroad most lines will be resumed after 24 330,000.

ood stores will be open, at least par

Decision of the congress of French railway workers to call a strike to en-force demands threatens a new dan-

Whether the finish fight for imme- year,

almost complete paralysis of business and compliance with their other demands is brought on by the railwaytion, gas and electrical workers, all is not considered as anxious for a unionized workers on the payrolls of general movement as the new exprises little more than half of the railroad organization membership of

The government's policy, either as regards the May Day demonstrations or the prespective railway strike, has Teachers will remain on duty and not been officially announced, but it immediate mobilization of the railroad men to break the strike, as was the case in February. As to the May ger, if the men lay down their tools that the government's plans call for

LIGHTS ON CAR

Coroner Finds Price's Death Due To Accidental Causes.

The fact that John H. Dellmuth, a Milford truckman, had his motor the Exchange Telegraph correspondtruck equipped only with oil lights ent at Athens. on the night that John Price was struck in Stratford, does not amount to criminal negligence, Coroner Phethe case of Price, who died April 16. The coroner finds that Price's death was due to accidental causes. On the night of the fatality, Price was riding a bicycle on a dark road in Stratford, near Hard's corner. It was raining at the time and Delimuth science in could not see Price in claimed he could not see Price in the cl

hitting him. Dellmuth said his gas lights had burned out and he was using oil lamps until he reached a garage in Devon. A companion of Price, who was 18 years old, testified cannot survive. that Price was carrying a bundle of Police reports were that Nary flew coal on his back and riding a bicycle. Into a rage when his wife pleaded for He shouted to Price when he saw the an increased household allowance truck but the victim could not steer his bicycle to one side quick enough.

CHARTERS

Cleveland O., April 26-Charters of 51 local lodges of Brotherhood of crowd. The strike resulted from dis-Railroad Trainmen have been revok-orders in the garrison during which ed for violating the rules of the Brotherhood by participating in the unauthorized strike of switchmen. had a membership of nearly 18,000. Fully half of this number have been loyal and their memberships will be protected by transfer to other of the aspirations of Greece in the lodges, Mr. Lee said. lodges, Mr. Lee said.

ALBANIAN GOV'T

London, April 26-Supporters of Essad Pasha, Turkish nationalist leader and former provisional president of Albania, have occupied Ti-Albanian government, according to a message from Florina, transmitted by

WIFE'S THROAT

Louisville, Ky., April 26-During a

ONE KILLED: 15 INJURED

Paris, April 26-(Havas)-Serious disorders occurred in Venice before the labor council of the city issued an order Sunday calling off the general strike which had been in progress there for several days. One person was killed and about fiftten wounded during a melee that followed an attack on the police co during which the officer fired on the

GREEK CONVENTION W. G. Lee, president of the organiza-tion announced today. The 51 lodges of Greek communities throughout the country today opened a three days convention here to discuss methods of arousing American opinion in behalf